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The Firefighter Cancer Support Network (the Network) is a 501 (c) (3) charitable organization that provides Fire Department personnel and their families comfort, strength and hope in dealing with the devastating effects of cancer. Their motto is "together we can." In addition, the Network promotes awareness, as education is vital to fighting this disease. Cancer screenings and early detection is the key to beating all types of cancer.

While the Network has been very successful in its mission, funding is required to keep up with the needs of Fire Department personnel that are affected by cancer. The Firefighter Cancer Support Network is not County funded and relies entirely on it's fund raising efforts. A payroll deduction would allow firefighters to easily contribute to the Network if they so desire.

WE, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Chief Administrative Officer to develop a mechanism for employees to voluntarily donate to the Firefighter Cancer Support Network.

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